

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. *(Cancelled)*
2. *(Currently Amended)* The ~~An~~ electronic sphygmomanometer according to claim 13 ~~[[1]]~~, wherein the blood pressure measuring means starts measuring a blood pressure value in association with the manipulation of the user identification key.
3. *(Currently Amended)* The ~~An~~ electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 2 or 13 ~~claim 1 or 2~~, wherein the display unit displays a previously stored value stored in the memory corresponding to the manipulated user identification key in association with the manipulation of the user identification keys.
4. *(Currently amended)* The ~~An~~ electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 2 or 13 ~~claim 1 or 2~~ further comprising:
 - a power supply unit for supplying operation power to electric/electronic circuits in a main body,
 - wherein the power supply unit supplies the power to the inside of the main body in association with the manipulation of an individual-user identification key ~~the user identification key~~.
5. *(Currently amended)* An electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 2 or 13 ~~claim 1 or 2~~,

wherein the light emitting means emits light of different color ~~color~~ ~~different~~ for each of the user identification keys corresponding to the light emitting means.

6. *(Cancelled)*

7. *(Currently Amended)* An electronic sphygmomanometer according to claim 14 ~~[[6]]~~, wherein the blood pressure measuring means starts measuring a blood pressure value in association with the manipulation of the event identification key.

8. *(Currently Amended)* ~~The~~ An electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 13 or 7 ~~claim 6 or 7~~, wherein the display unit displays the previously stored value stored in the memory corresponding to the manipulated event identification key in association with the manipulation of the event identification key.

9. *(Currently Amended)* ~~The~~ An electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 7 or 13 ~~claim 6 or 7~~ comprising:

a power supply unit for supplying operation power to electric/electronic circuits in a main body,

wherein the power supply unit supplies the power to the inside of the main body in association with the manipulation of the event identification key.

10. *(Currently Amended)* ~~The~~ An electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 7 or 13 ~~claim 6 or 7~~, wherein the light emitting means emits light of different color ~~color different~~ for each of the event identification keys corresponding to the light emitting means.

11. *(Currently Amended)* ~~The~~ An electronic sphygmomanometer according to claim 6 or 7, wherein the memory stores at least one item of supplemental information selected from blood pressure value measuring time, body position during blood pressure measurement, prandial relationship ~~and the like~~ in association with the blood pressure value, in addition to the blood pressure.

12. *(Currently Amended)* ~~The~~ An electronic sphygmomanometer according to either of claims 7 or 13 ~~claim 6 or 7~~ comprises:

time measuring means,

wherein the light emitting means, which corresponds to the event identification key that corresponds to ~~corresponding to~~ a present clock time determined by ~~clocked by~~ the time measuring means, emits light ~~based on the present time~~.

13. *(New)* An electronic sphygmomanometer comprising:

a blood pressure measuring means that outputs a blood pressure value;

a display unit for displaying the blood pressure value;

a plurality of singular individual-user identification keys, each individual-user key having an associated light emitting means within or

proximally disposed a respective individual-user identification key, wherein blood pressure of an individual user is measured and a blood pressure value outputted in response to manipulation of an individual-user identification key;

a memory having a plurality of memory regions, equal in number to the number of singular individual-user identification keys, the memory regions addressed in response to manipulation of a single individual-user identification key that is uniquely associated with a memory region;

the light emitting means associated with the individual-user identification key, the manipulation of which initiated the blood pressure measurement, emits light while the blood pressure is being measured or displayed.

14. (New) An electronic sphygmomanometer comprising:

a blood pressure measuring means that outputs a blood pressure value;

a display unit for displaying the blood pressure value;

a plurality of singular event identification keys, each event identification key having an associated light emitting means within or proximally disposed a respective event identification key, wherein blood pressure of an individual user is measured and a blood pressure value outputted in response to manipulation of an event identification key;

a memory having a plurality of memory regions, equal in number to the number of event identification keys, the memory regions addressed in response to manipulation of a single event identification key that is uniquely associated with a memory region;

the light emitting means associated with the event identification

key, the manipulation of which initiated the blood pressure measurement, emits light while the blood pressure is being measured or displayed.